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August 27, 2012

Jeffrey DeRouen  
Executive Director  
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*RE: SI Wireless—Initial High Cost Report Required for Administrative Case No. 381*

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed please find the original and ten copies of SI Wireless, LLC's Annual Affidavit Regarding Use of Federal Universal Service High-Cost Support. Please indicate receipt of this filing by placing your file stamp on the extra copy and returning to me in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely yours,

Douglas F. Brent

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Enclosures  
cc: Todd Lantor

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of )  
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A Certification of the Carriers Receiving ) Administrative Case No. 381  
Universal Service High Cost Support )  
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**SI WIRELESS, LLC ANNUAL AFFIDAVIT REGARDING USE OF  
FEDERAL UNIVERSAL SERVICE HIGH-COST SUPPORT**

SI Wireless, LLC ("SI Wireless" or "the Company") has been designated by the Kentucky Public Service Commission as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC").<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to the SI Wireless ETC Order, SI Wireless is required to file an annual certification with the Commission by September 1st in accordance with the requirements of Administrative Case No. 381.

To date, SI Wireless has not received any high-cost support. The Company does currently have pending a short-form application on file with the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") to participate in the newly established Mobility Fund - Phase I.<sup>2</sup> The Mobility Fund Phase I Auction is currently expected to take place on September 27, 2012. At this time, it is not possible for SI Wireless to know whether it will be successful in the Mobility Fund – Phase 1 auction which would allow SI Wireless to receive Phase I support.

Although it is unclear whether SI Wireless will receive Mobility Fund - Phase I support, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission accept the attached

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<sup>1</sup> See Order, Case No. 2012-00145 (rel. June 25, 2012) ("SI Wireless ETC Order").

<sup>2</sup> *Connect America Fund et al.*, Report and Order, 26 FCC Rcd 17663, ¶¶ 389-92 (rel. Nov. 18, 2011) ("Connect America Fund Order").

affidavit for the purpose of notifying the Universal Service Administrative Company ("USAC") and the FCC that SI Wireless is eligible to receive high-cost support in accordance with 47 U.S.C. § 254(e).

Respectfully submitted,



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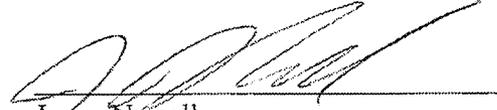
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## AFFIDAVIT OF JASON NARRELL

I, the undersigned Jason Narrell, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am the Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") of SI Wireless, LLC ("SI Wireless"). As the CFO, I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service Support available to Eligible Telecommunications Carriers ("ETCs") and how these funds are to be used.
2. SI Wireless was designated as an ETC by the Kentucky Public Service Commission by order on June 25, 2012 in Case No. 2012-00145.
3. SI Wireless has not previously applied for or received Federal Universal Service high-cost support.
4. SI Wireless has filed a short-form application with the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") to participate in the newly established Mobility Fund Phase I. The Mobility Fund - Phase I Auction is currently expected to take place on September 27, 2012. At this time, it is not possible for SI Wireless to know whether it will be successful in the Mobility Fund – Phase 1 auction which would allow SI Wireless to receive Phase I support.
5. Any Federal Universal Service Support funds that SI Wireless receives will be used for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, as designated by the FCC consistent with Section 254(e) of the federal Telecommunications Act and the FCC's Rules.
7. To the extent that it receives any Federal Universal Service support, SI Wireless does not anticipate increasing local rates nor withdrawing any services. Therefore, the comparability of rates and services between rural and urban areas will not be changed.
8. SI Wireless reports that it received a total of **zero** complaints per thousand handsets in Kentucky in 2012.
9. SI Wireless did not have any unfulfilled requests for service in its ETC designated area within the past year.

10. The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.

  
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Jason Narrell  
Chief Financial Officer  
SI Wireless, LLC

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Oklahoma and County, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012

  
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Notary Public

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